

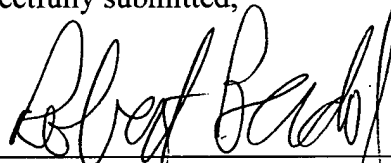
**REMARKS**

Claims 1-5 are amended. FIG. 8 is replaced by the figure enclosed herewith. In the new FIG. 8, the step S1 and S5 are rewritten in accordance with the BEST MODES FOR CARRYING OUT THE INVENTION, as discussed on page 12, lines 5-7 for the step S1, and page 13, lines 7-12 for the step S5.

FIG. 9 has been added to illustrate a second embodiment of this invention, that is described in page 14, line 16 through page 15, line 6.

The Abstract of the Disclosure has been replaced by a new Abstract in accordance with applicable requirements. Entry of the amendments and examination of the amended application are respectfully requested. Please enter the amendments before calculating the filing fee.

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